Mountain Weather Forecast

Eryri (Snowdonia) National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Saturday 03 Feb 2024 until 23:59 on Sunday 04 Feb 2024

Forecast Issued on Friday 02 Feb 2024 at 12:11

Confidence: High confidence for unsettled and windy conditions to continue through the next few days. Lower confidence for the details of heavier rain, especially from Tuesday, so keep up to date with the forecast.

Headline for Saturday 03 Feb 2024: Low cloud with occasional rain. Windy.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 03 Feb 2024

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Gales
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
High Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
FOG	FOG	FOG	FOG		FOG	FOG	
Fog	Fog	Fog	Fog	Heavy Rain	Fog	Fog	Cloudy
Precipitation probability							
40%	40%	40%	60%	70%	60%	40%	20%

Forecast for Saturday 03 Feb 2024

Weather: Cloudy with outbreaks of rain or drizzle, turning heavy for a couple of hours around midday. Some brighter intervals possible across northeast Snowdonia at first. Becoming dry from the north during the evening. Windy on the tops.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: Mainly 10% or less but 30% in the northeast at first and becoming generally 70% in the evening.

Low Cloud and visibility: Extensive low cloud and fog down to low slopes giving some navigation difficulties. The cloud may break up for a time in the morning in the northeast, then more generally through the evening.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	35/43 W	33/42 W	33/42 W	29/38 W	24/32 W	23/32 W	27/36 W	25/34 W	25/34 W
600	23/31 SW	23/31 SW	23/32 W	21/29 W	17/25 W	17/25 W	18/26 W	18/26 W	18/28 SW
300	16/29 SW	16/28 SW	15/28 W	14/26 W	12/21 W	11/19 W	12/22 W	11/23 W	12/23 SW
Valley	16/30 SW	16/30 SW	16/30 W	14/26 W	12/22 W	10/18 W	11/21 W	11/22 W	12/23 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	6/-0	6/-0	6/-0	5/-1	5/-1	4/-2	4/-2	3/-4	3/-4
600	7/3	7/3	7/3	7/2	7/2	6/2	6/1	5/0	5/-0
300	9/5	9/5	9/6	9/6	8/6	8/5	8/4	7/4	7/3
Valley	10/7	10/7	10/7	10/7	10/7	9/6	9/6	8/6	8/5
Freezing Level*	2100m	1800m	1700m	1600m	2000m	1900m	1600m	1400m	1500m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Windy conditions with gusts of 45mph on high ridges and summits giving difficult walking conditions.

Forecast for Sunday 04 Feb 2024

Weather: Dry start to the night but turning cloudy with patchy rain later. Outbreaks of rain or drizzle will then continue through the day. Very strong winds combined with rain and low cloud giving difficult and drenching conditions to be out in.

Maximum wind: West or Southwest 30mph gusts 45mph, increasing to 40mph gusts 60mph during morning.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 60% overnight, soon becoming 10% or less by dawn.

Low Cloud and visibility: Patchy low cloud and fog overnight becoming extensive above 300 or 400m in the morning, but perhaps lifting higher at times in the afternoon. Poor visibility for much of the day in rain or drizzle.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 8C rising to 11 or 12C.
At 800m: Plus 3C rising to 7C.
Freezing level: Above summits.

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